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**PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL OF ABANDONMENT**

Mail Stop Petition  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions that the abandonment of the above-referenced patent application be withdrawn. By way of explanation, the undersigned's firm received a notice of abandonment on June 13, 2005, indicating that a response to an Office action allegedly mailed on November 17, 2005, was not filed. However, the Office action allegedly mailed on November 17, 2005, was never received by the applicant nor their counsel.

The following papers are submitted herewith in support of this petition:

- (a) A statement of Mark G. Hanley, counsel for applicant indicating that he never received the Office action; and

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- (b) A copy of the docket record where the non-received Office action would have been docketed had it been received.

The petition fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(h)) is paid via a check in the sum of \$130.00. If any additional fees are due, please charge them to deposit account no. 50-2455. A duplicate of this paper is attached.


As this petition was not necessitated by any action or error of the applicant or its counsel, a refund of the petition fee submitted herewith is respectfully requested. Please credit the refund to deposit account no. 50-2455.

Withdrawal of abandonment, and acknowledgment of the active status of this application and issuance of a new Office action re-starting the period for response is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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